

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q77300

Tatsuhide TSUYUKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/668,176

Group Art Unit: 2624

Confirmation No.: 4041

Examiner: Yubin HUNG

Filed: September 24, 2003

For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of May 13, 2008 to September 13, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$120 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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